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PECK'S SON WHY?

"I hear you had burglars over to your  
house last night," said the grocery man  
to the boy, as he came in and sat on  
the counter right over a little gimlet hole  
where the grocery man had fixed a darn-  
ing needle so that by pulling a string the  
needle would fly up through the hole and  
run into the boy about an inch. The  
grocery man had been laying for the boy  
for two days, and now that he had got  
him right over the hole the first time it  
made him laugh to think how he would  
jump and yell, and as he edged off and  
got hold of the string the boy looked un-  
conscious of impending danger. The  
grocery man pulled, and the boy sat still.  
He pulled again, and again, and finally  
the boy said:

"Yes, it is reported that we had bur-  
glars over there. O, you needn't pull  
that string any more. I heard you was  
setting a trap for me, and I put a piece  
of board inside my pants, and thought I  
would let you exercise yourself. Go  
ahead, if it amuses you. It don't hurt  
me."

The grocery man looked sad, and then  
smiled a sickly sort of smile, at the fail-  
ure of his plan to puncture the boy, and  
then he said, "Well, how was it? The  
policeman didn't seem to know much  
about the particulars. He said there  
was so much devilry going on at your  
house that nobody could tell when any-  
thing was serious, and he was inclined  
to think it was a put-up job."

"Now let's have an understanding,"  
says the boy. "Whatever I say, you  
are not to give me away. It's a go, is it?  
I have always been afraid of you, because  
you have a sort of decayed egg look  
about you. You are like a peck of pota-  
toes with the big ones on top, a sort of  
a strawberry box with the bottom raised  
up, so I have thought you would go back  
on a fellow. But if you won't give this  
away, here goes. You see, I heard ma  
tell pa to bring up another bottle of lin-  
iment last night. When ma corks her-  
self or has a pain anywhere she just uses  
liniment for all that is out, and a pint  
bottle don't last more than a week.  
Well, I told my chum, and we laid for  
pa. This liniment ma uses is offal hot  
and almost blisters. Pa went to the  
Langtry show and did not get home  
until eleven o'clock, and me and my  
chum decided to teach pa a lesson. I  
don't think it is right for a man to go to  
the theater and not take his wife or little  
boy. So we concluded to burgle pa.  
We agreed to lay on the stairs and when  
he came up my chum was to hit him on  
the head with a dried bladder, and I was  
to stab him on the breast pocket with a  
stick and break the liniment bottle and  
make him think he was killed. It could  
not have worked better if we had re-  
hearsed it. We had talked about bur-  
glars at supper time and got pa nervous,  
and when he came up stairs and was hit  
on the head with the bladder the first  
thing he said was 'burglars by mighty,'  
and he started to go back and then I hit  
him on the breast pocket where the bot-  
tle was and then we rushed by him down  
stairs and I said in a stage whisper, 'I  
guess he's a dead man,' and we went  
down the cellar and up the back stairs to  
my room and undressed. Pa hollered to  
me that he was murdered, and ma called  
me and I came down in my night shirt,  
and the hired girl she came down and pa  
was on the lounge, and he said his life-  
blood was fast ebbing away. He held  
his hand on the wound and said he could  
feel the warm blood trickling clear down  
to his boots. I told pa to stuff some tar  
into the wound, such as he told me to  
put on my lip to make my moustache  
grow, and pa said, 'My boy, this is no  
time for trifling. Your pa is on his last  
legs. When I came up stairs I met six  
burglars, and I attacked them, and forced  
four of them down, and was going to  
hold them and send for the police when  
two more, that I did not know about,  
jumped on me, and I was getting the  
best of them when one of them struck  
me over the head with a crowbar, and

the other one stabbed me to the heart  
with a butcher knife. I have received  
my death wound, my boy, and my hot  
Southern blood, that I offered up so freely  
for my country in her time of need, is  
passing from my body, and soon your pa  
will be only a piece of poor clay. Get  
some ice and put on my stomach, all the  
way down, for I am burning up.' I went  
to the water pitcher and got a chunk of  
ice and put inside of pa's shirt, and  
while ma was tearing up an old skirt to  
stop the flow of blood I asked pa if he  
felt better and if he could describe the  
villains who had murdered him. Pa  
gasped and moved his legs to get them  
cool from the clotted blood, he said, and  
went on: 'One of them was about six  
feet high and had a sandy moustache. I  
got him down and hit him in the nose,  
and if the police find him his nose will  
be broke. The second one was thick  
set, and weighed about 200 pounds. I  
had him down and my boot was on his  
neck, and I was knocking two more  
down when I was hit. The thick set  
one will have the mark of boot heels on  
his throat. Tell the police, when I am  
gone, about the boot heel marks.' By  
this time ma had got the skirt tore up,  
and she stuffed it under pa's shirt, right  
where he said he was hit, and pa was  
telling us what to do to settle his estate,  
when ma began to smell the liniment,  
and she found the broken bottle in his  
pocket, and searched for the place where  
he was stabbed, and then she began to  
laugh, and pa got mad and said he didn't  
see as a deathbed scene was such an al-  
mighty funny affair, and then she told  
him he was not hurt, but that he had  
fallen on the stairs and broke his bottle,  
and that there was no blood on him, and  
he said, 'Do you mean to tell me my  
body and legs are not bathed in human  
gore?' and then pa got up and found it  
was only the liniment. He got mad and  
asked ma why she didn't fly around and  
get something to take that liniment off  
his legs, as it was eating them right  
through to the bone, and then he saw  
my chum put his head in the door, with  
one gallus hanging down, and pa looked  
at me and then he said, 'Look here, if I  
find out it was you boys that put up  
this job on me, I'll make it so hot for  
you that you will think liniment is ice  
cream in comparison.' I told pa it didn't  
look reasonable that ma and my chum  
could be six burglars, six feet high, with  
our noses broke, and boot heel marks on  
our necks, and pa he said for us to go to  
bed alfred quick, and give him a  
chance to rinse off that liniment, and we  
retired. Say, how does my pa strike  
you as a good single-handed liar?" and  
the boy went up to the counter while the  
grocery man went out after a scuffle of  
coal.

In the meantime one of the grocery  
man's best customers, a deacon in the  
church, had come in and sat down on the  
counter over the darned needle, and as  
the grocery man came in with the coal  
the boy pulled the string and went out  
of doors and tipped over a basket of  
rutabagas, while the deacon got down off  
the counter with his hands clasped, and  
anger in every feature, and told the gro-  
cery man that he could whip him in two  
minutes. The grocery man asked what  
was the matter, and the deacon hunted  
up the source from whence the darned  
needle came through the counter, and as  
the boy went across the street the deacon  
and the grocery man were rolling on the  
floor, the grocery man trying to hold the  
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that. There is undoubtedly a decline in  
the law business. People are compromis-  
ing a good deal more than they used to.  
Where formerly there were long and ex-  
pensive lawsuits, settlements are now  
made without litigation; and besides,  
men are becoming more careful in trans-  
acting business, thus preventing mis-  
understandings that lead to contests in  
the courts. No, I don't think there is  
to be any great increase in the law busi-  
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A western paper says that the greatest  
war since the time of Frederick called  
"the Great," which Germany has under-  
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**SYMPTOMS OF A  
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Loss of Appetite, Bowels costive,  
Pain in the Head, with a dull sen-  
sation in the back part. Pain under  
the Shoulder blade, fullness after  
eating, with a disinclination to ex-  
ercise of body or mind, Irritability  
of temper, Low spirits, with a feel-  
ing of having neglected some duty,  
Weakness, Dizziness, Fluttering at  
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low skin, Headache generally over  
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ful dreams, highly colored Urine,  
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**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE**  
undersigned has commenced an action in  
the District Court of the Sixth Judicial District  
of the State of Nevada, in and for the County of  
Lincoln, in which action the undersigned is  
plaintiff and the Mayflower Silver Mining  
Company, the Mayflower Mine or mining claim  
and H. T. Wells defendants, and which action  
is brought to enforce a lien in favor of plaintiff  
and against said defendants upon the following  
described premises and property, situated in  
Bristol Mining District, Lincoln County, Ne-  
vada, to wit: That certain mine and mining  
claim known as and called by the name of the  
Mayflower Mine and Mining Claim, situate,  
lying and being in the Bristol Mining District,  
Lincoln County, State of Nevada. Said lien is  
for the sum of seven hundred and six & 100  
(\$706.04) dollars, in gold coin of the United  
States, and is claimed under and by virtue of an  
Act of the Legislature of the State of Nevada,  
entitled "An Act to secure liens to mechanics  
and others, and to repeal all other Acts in relation  
thereto," approved March 22, 1875. Now,  
therefore, all persons having, holding or claim-  
ing liens upon said premises under the provisions  
of said Act are hereby notified to be and  
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